

## System Commands

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| Accessibility Controls                            | access.cpl         |
| Accessibility Wizard                              | accwiz             |
| Add Hardware Wizard                               | hdwwiz.cpl         |
| Add/Remove Programs                               | appwiz.cpl         |
| Administrative Tools                              | control admintools |
| Adobe Acrobat (if installed)                      | acrobat            |
| Adobe Designer (if installed)                     | formdesigner       |
| Adobe Distiller (if installed)                    | acrodist           |
| Adobe ImageReady (if installed)                   | imageready         |
| Adobe Photoshop (if installed)                    | photoshop          |
| Automatic Updates                                 | wuauclt.cpl        |
| Bluetooth Transfer Wizard                         | fsquirt            |
| Calculator  | calc               |
| Certificate Manager                               | certmgr.msc        |
| Character Map                                     | charmap            |
| Check Disk Utility                                | chkdsk             |
| Clipboard Viewer                                  | clipbrd            |
| Command Prompt                                    | cmd                |
| Component Services                                | dcomcnfg           |
| Computer Management                               | compmgmt.msc       |
| Control Panel                                     | control            |
| Date and Time Properties                          | timedate.cpl       |
| DDE Shares  | ddeshare           |
| Device Manager                                    | devmgmt.msc        |
| Direct X Control Panel (if installed)             | directx.cpl        |
| Direct X Troubleshooter                           | dxdiag             |
| Disk Cleanup Utility                              | cleanmgr           |
| Disk Defragment                                   | dfrg.msc           |
| Disk Management                                   | diskmgmt.msc       |
| Disk Partition Manager                            | diskpart           |
| Display Properties                                | control desktop    |
| Display Properties                                | desk.cpl           |
| Display Properties (w/Appearance Tab Preselected) | control color      |
| Dr. Watson System Troubleshooting Utility         | drwtsn32           |
| Driver Verifier Utility                           | verifier           |

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| Event Viewer   | eventvwr.msc          |
| Files and Settings Transfer Tool                     | migwiz                |
| File Signature Verification Tool                     | sigverif              |
| Findfast   | findfast.cpl          |
| Firefox (if installed)                               | firefox               |
| Folders Properties                                   | folders               |
| Fonts  | control fonts         |
| Fonts Folder   | fonts                 |
| Free Cell Card Game                                  | freecell              |
| Game Controllers                                     | joy.cpl               |
| Group Policy Editor (XP Prof)                        | gpedit.msc            |
| Hearts Card Game                                     | mshearts              |
| Help and Support                                     | helpctr               |
| HyperTerminal  | hypertrm              |
| Iexpress Wizard                                      | iexpress              |
| Indexing Service                                     | ciadv.msc             |
| Internet Connection Wizard                           | icwconn1              |
| Internet Explorer                                    | iexplore              |
| Internet Properties                                  | inetcpl.cpl           |
| Internet Setup Wizard                                | inetwiz               |
| IP Configuration (Display Connection Configuration)  | ipconfig /all         |
| IP Configuration (Display DNS Cache Contents)        | ipconfig /displaydns  |
| IP Configuration (Delete DNS Cache Contents)         | ipconfig /flushdns    |
| IP Configuration (Release All Connections)           | ipconfig /release     |
| IP Configuration (Renew All Connections)             | ipconfig /renew       |
| IP Configuration (Refreshes DHCP & Re-Registers DNS) | ipconfig /registerdns |
| IP Configuration (Display DHCP Class ID)             | ipconfig /showclassid |
| IP Configuration (Modifies DHCP Class ID)            | ipconfig /setclassid  |
| Java Control Panel (if installed)                    | jp1cpl32.cpl          |
| Java Control Panel (if installed)                    | javaws                |
| Keyboard Properties                                  | control keyboard      |
| Local Security Settings                              | secpol.msc            |
| Local Users and Groups                               | lusrmgr.msc           |
| Logs You Out Of Windows                              | logoff                |
| Malicious Software Removal Tool                      | mrt                   |
| Microsoft Access (if installed)                      | msaccess              |
| Microsoft Chat                                       | winchat               |
| Microsoft Excel (if installed)                       | excel                 |
| Microsoft Frontpage (if installed)                   | frontpg               |
| Microsoft Movie Maker                                | moviemk               |
| Microsoft Paint                                      | mspaint               |
| Microsoft Powerpoint (if installed)                  | powerpnt              |

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| Microsoft Word (if installed)        | winword                |
| Microsoft Synchronization Tool       | mobsync                |
| Minesweeper Game                     | winmine                |
| Mouse Properties                     | control mouse          |
| Mouse Properties                     | main.cpl               |
| Nero (if installed)                  | nero                   |
| Netmeeting                           | conf                   |
| Network Connections                  | control netconnections |
| Network Connections                  | ncpa.cpl               |
| Network Setup Wizard                 | netsetup.cpl           |
| Notepad                              | notepad                |
| Nview Desktop Manager (if installed) | nvtuicpl.cpl           |
| Object Packager                      | packager               |
| ODBC Data Source Administrator       | odbccp32.cpl           |
| On Screen Keyboard                   | osk                    |
| Opens AC3 Filter (if installed)      | ac3filter.cpl          |
| Outlook Express                      | msimn                  |
| Paint                                | pbrush                 |
| Password Properties                  | password.cpl           |
| Performance Monitor                  | perfmon.msc            |
| Performance Monitor                  | perfmon                |
| Phone and Modem Options              | telephon.cpl           |
| Phone Dialer                         | dialer                 |
| Pinball Game                         | pinball                |
| Power Configuration                  | powercfg.cpl           |
| Printers and Faxes                   | control printers       |
| Printers Folder                      | printers               |
| Private Character Editor             | eudcedit               |
| Quicktime (If Installed)             | QuickTime.cpl          |
| Quicktime Player (if installed)      | quicktimeplayer        |
| Real Player (if installed)           | realplay               |
| Regional Settings                    | intl.cpl               |
| Registry Editor                      | regedit                |
| Registry Editor                      | regedit32              |
| Remote Access Phonebook              | rasphone               |
| Remote Desktop                       | mstsc                  |
| Removable Storage                    | ntmsmgr.msc            |
| Removable Storage Operator Requests  | ntmsoprq.msc           |
| Resultant Set of Policy (XP Prof)    | rsop.msc               |
| Scanners and Cameras                 | sticpl.cpl             |
| Scheduled Tasks                      | control schedtasks     |
| Security Center                      | wscui.cpl              |

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| Services   | services.msc     |
| Shared Folders   | fsmgmt.msc       |
| Shuts Down Windows   | shutdown         |
| Sounds and Audio   | mmsys.cpl        |
| Spider Solitaire Card Game                                   | spider           |
| SQL Client Configuration                                     | cliconfg         |
| System Configuration Editor                                  | sysedit          |
| System Configuration Utility                                 | msconfig         |
| System File Checker Utility (Scan Immediately)               | sfc /scanow      |
| System File Checker Utility (Scan Once At The Next Boot)     | sfc /scanonce    |
| System File Checker Utility (Scan On Every Boot)             | sfc /scanboot    |
| System File Checker Utility (Return Scan Setting To Default) | sfc /revert      |
| System File Checker Utility (Purge File Cache)               | sfc /purgecache  |
| System File Checker Utility (Sets Cache Size to size x)      | sfc /cachesize=x |
| System Information   | msinfo32         |
| System Properties  | sysdm.cpl        |
| Task Manager   | taskmgr          |
| TCP Tester   | tcptest          |
| Telnet Client  | telnet           |
| Tweak UI (if installed)                                      | tweakui          |
| User Account Management                                      | nusrmgr.cpl      |
| Utility Manager  | utilman          |
| Windows Address Book   | wab              |
| Windows Address Book Import Utility                          | wabmig           |
| Windows Backup Utility (if installed)                        | ntbackup         |
| Windows Explorer   | explorer         |
| Windows Firewall   | firewall.cpl     |
| Windows Magnifier  | magnify          |
| Windows Management Infrastructure                            | wmimgmt.msc      |
| Windows Media Player   | wmplayer         |
| Windows Messenger  | msmsgs           |
| Windows Picture Import Wizard (need camera connected)        | wiaacmgr         |
| Windows System Security Tool                                 | syskey           |
| Windows Update Launches                                      | wupdmgr          |
| Windows Version (to show which version of windows)           | winver           |
| Windows XP Tour Wizard                                       | tourstart        |
| Wordpad  | write            |